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In re Application of:
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Robert Olan Keith Jr.
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**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR APPLYING A PARAMETRIC SEARCH
METHODOLOGY TO A DIRECTORY TREE DATABASE FORMAT**

Group Art Unit:
Examiner Name:

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

This is a Request for a Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.08

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to : Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, Mail Stop RCE, January 6, 2005.

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Signature

1. Submission required under C.F.R. § 1.114

a. Previously submitted

i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on .
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)

ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .

iii. Other .

b. X Enclosed

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i. X Amendment/Reply

01 FC:2801
02 FC:2201

395.00 OP
100.00 OP

ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. Other

2. Miscellaneous

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months.
(Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. Other .

3. c. X Applicant is entitled to small entity status

4. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No.: 08-1275

i. X RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

ii. Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 1.17)

iii. X Other One new independent claim

b. X Check in the amount of \$495.00 (\$395.00 to cover the Request for Continued Examination Filing fee plus \$100.00 for one new independent claim) enclosed

c. Payment by credit card (form PTO-2038 enclosed)

5. X Return Receipt Postcard

Dated: January 6, 2005

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